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**MAN ARRESTED AND CHARGED WITH
INTERNET CHILD PORNOGRAPHY CRIMES**

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, and

Robert L. Johnson, Chief of the Bill Exhibition and Security Section of the U.S.

Department of Justice, announced that BRIAN SCOTT JUSTICE, age 32, of Haughton,

Louisiana, formerly of Pittsboro, Indiana and Old North Salem Road in Danville, Indiana, was

arrested and charged last night in a complaint with one count each of distributing of child

pornography, possessing child pornography, and advertising child pornography for distribution.

This was the result of an investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, U.S. Immigration

and Customs Enforcement, the Indiana State Police, the Danville Police Department, the United

States Marshal Service, and the Indiana Internet Crimes Against

Children Task Force.

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JUSTICE was arrested without incident last night by FBI Special Agents in Bossier City, Louisiana, following yesterday's search of Justice's former home in Danville. The investigation was assisted by the Office of Donald Washington, United States Attorney for the Western District of Louisiana.

The complaint alleges that on or about August 30, 2004, JUSTICE shipped or transported multiple image files of child pornography over the Internet to an undercover FBI agent. These images allegedly include depiction prepubescent females engaged in sexual conduct with adult males. The complaint also alleges that he placed advertisements for the distribution of child pornography through the Internet. JUSTICE allegedly moved from Danville to Haughton in late September of 2004.

According to Steven D. DeBrot, an Assistant United States Attorney in the Southern District of Indiana, and Michelle Morgan-Kelly, a Trial Counsel for the Child Exploitation and Obscenity Section, both of whom are prosecuting the case for the government, if convicted, JUSTICE faces a mandatory minimum 15 year sentence for the advertising offense and a mandatory minimum 5 years for the distribution offense. The maximum possible prison sentence for the advertising offense is up to 30 years, while the distribution and possession offenses are punishable by up to 20 and 10 years, respectively. Each offense also carries a maximum possible fine of up to \$250,000 per count. An initial hearing will held later today before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in Shreveport, Louisiana. The Government intends to move

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for pretrial detention and for JUSTICE's removal in custody to the Southern District of Indiana.

The complaint is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.

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